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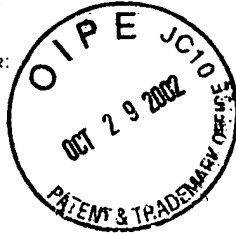
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Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced patent application is:

- (1) Response to Restriction Requirement Dated October 2, 2002; and
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT DATED OCTOBER 2, 2002

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This paper is submitted in response to the Restriction Requirement dated October 2, 2002, for which the date for response is November 2, 2002

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In response to the restriction requirement which the Examiner imposed, Applicants elect, without traverse, to prosecute the method claims 19-35, *i.e.*, the Group III claims.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney at (512) 536-3018 with any questions, comments or suggestions relating to the referenced patent application.

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